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First named inventor: **Stephen J. HINDE et al.**Application No. **09/655,367**Art Unit: **2134**Filed: **September 5, 2000**Examiner: **M. Simitoski**Title: **PROVIDING SECURE ACCESS THROUGH NETWORK FIREWALLS**

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- (2) Reply and/or issue fee
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee -- required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the delay entire delay was unintentional.

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